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BUFFERING WITHIN A
SOCKET SERVER
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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to grant a one-month extension of time to and including January 10, 2007, in which to file the Notice of Appeal, in response to the Advisory Action dated December 15, 2006.

This form is filed in duplicate. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$120.00 and any additional fees which may be required for this submission to Deposit Account No. 09-0465 / ROC920010193US2.

Applicants note that the Examiner inadvertently checked Box 1A in the Advisory Action dated December 15, 2006, setting the time for reply as 3 months from the mailing date of the Final Rejection. The Final Rejection was mailed on August 9, 2006. Thus, the actual two-month date was October 9, 2006; however, this fell on Columbus Day.

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Applicants' effective two-month date, therefore, was October 10, 2006. As Applicants response was timely-filed by the effective two-month date of October 10, 2006, Applicants believe that only a one-month extension is required to make this Notice of Appeal timely to the Office and that the Examiner should have checked Box 1B in the Advisory Action.

Respectfully submitted, and
S-signed pursuant to 37 CFR 1.4,

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